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MEMORANDUM FOR:

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Chief, Southeast Asia Division, OER

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SUBJECT

: Proposed Weekly Report From the
Manpower Branch

1. I suggest that we not publish this report in either a weekly or biweekly series. I would prefer to take the pertinent parts and add them as another section to the weekly logistics report. This new part would include a piece on infiltration (you should get this from OCI), a section on unit redeployments, and finally, a section on mobilization or related manpower developments in North Vietnam.

2. I am a little uncertain as to what to do about security. It seems odd to be talking about something like a VSSG indicator when we are no longer going to have the system.

3. What I do not want this new section to include is the reporting on military activities such as that in your Sections IV and parts of VI and VII.

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